

PATENT APPLICATION

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 Atty. Docket: 8266-0592 }  
 Applicant: Ruschke et al. }  
 Invention: MOTORIZED }  
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 SYSTEM FOR A BED }  
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PETITION AND FEE FOR  
EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby requests under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Notice To Filing Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application mailed July 10, 2001 in the above identified application for:

- ☐ one month (\$110.00)  
☒ two months (\$400.00)  
☐ three months (\$920.00).

☐ Applicant is a small entity under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9 and 1.27, therefore the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, the resulting fee being \$\_\_\_\_\_. A small entity statement under 37 CFR 1.27 has already been filed in this application.

☒ A check in the amount of \$530.00 which includes \$400.00 for the two-month extension fee is enclosed.

A response to the Notice To File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application is being filed simultaneously herewith.

Please charge any additional fees due, or credit any overpayment, to Bose McKinney & Evans LLP's Deposit Account No. 02-3223. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted

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